## House Resolution No. 505

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic technological, lifestyle, and social changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Corrine Utterback, a resident of the quaint town of Louisiana, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninetieth Birthday with a special celebration on March 9, 2002, at the Trimble House; and

Whereas, on March 10, 1912, in Monroe County, God brought a special gift to Elbert Gibson "Bert" Ash and Jemima M. "Bid" (Threlkeld) Ash with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Corrine, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Corrine Utterback will have the opportunity to share stories about some of the significant events in her life such as attending school in Paris, Missouri, and marrying A.L. Utterback (deceased); and

Whereas, a devoted wife and exemplary homemaker, Corrine Utterback further distinguished herself as an employee of Dooley's Variety Store and Marsh's Dry Goods in Paris and Johnson Jewelry in Louisiana; and

Whereas, Corrine Utterback is a member of the P.E.O. and the Centenary United Methodist Church, where she has also enjoyed recognition by serving on many committees, helping with blood drives, and volunteering as a Pink Lady at Pike County Memorial Hospital; and

Whereas, at the respectful age of 90, Corrine Utterback still enjoys playing bridge and reminiscing about the many treasures she found while shopping for antiques:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Corrine Utterback at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Corrine Utterback, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by

Representative Philip G. Smith

District No. 11

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 505, adopted February 27, 2002.